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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q62487

Munenori IIZUKA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/748,392

Group Art Unit: 1711

Confirmation No.: 3771

Examiner: A.L. Woodward

Filed: December 27, 2000

For: MIXED RESIN COMPOUND, RESIN PIPE, PRODUCTION OF RESIN PIPE, AND
PHOTOSENSITIVE DRUM

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated October 28, 2002. Concurrently filed
herewith is a Petition for a two-month extension of time and a check in the appropriate fee.
Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel Claims 58, 59 and 60 without prejudice or disclaimer.

The claims are amended as follows:

2. (Twice Amended) The mixed resin compound as defined in Claim 1, wherein
said mixed resin comprises at least one resin component selected from a polyamide resin
obtained from metaxylylenediamine and adipic acid, a polyamide resin obtained from ϵ -
caprolactam, and an alloy resin obtained by blending a polyamide resin with a resin having a
water absorption no higher than 0.3%.

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